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The following is a concise statement of relevance for document DE 2,229,918:

As discussed in paragraph 25 of the specification DE 2,229,918 disclosed C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>12</sub> fatty acids as polyglycerol esters, sorbitan esters or diacetyl tartaric acid esters of glycerol esters of the said fatty acids.

It is requested that the accompanying PTO-1449 be considered and made of record in the above-identified application. To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initial a copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

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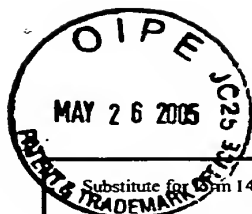
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